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DIARY NOTES

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1. As a result of my meeting with Mr. Pettibone, of the Bureau of the Budget, last Friday and his concern that the action we have taken to increase our supergrade authorization might jeopardize the present Federal Pay Adjustment Act, I have asked [REDACTED] to refrain from advising Congress until it has acted on the President's bill.

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2. I talked with [REDACTED] about furnishing the Bureau of the Budget additional information in connection with our supergrade study. We agreed to send the study over right away but without the detailed job descriptions. Included in the study is the comparison that we made with other Governmental agencies. Still to be provided is a report on the phasing of this increased authorization. I have asked [REDACTED] to study this and to get together with me before transferring further information to the Bureau.

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4. [REDACTED] was in to see me prior to his departure for Harvard to attend the Advanced Management Course, and we agreed that his next assignment would be in the Office of Personnel, probably as Chief of the Planning Staff.

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5. Jim Garrison, [REDACTED] and I met with Mr. Kirkpatrick, and then with [REDACTED] to get started on our space study. Tom was asked to designate someone, probably [REDACTED] to work with the Office of Logistics on this matter. (I will lay on similar introductory meetings with the other Deputy Directors.)

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6. [REDACTED] reported that our early retirement legislation is dead for this session of Congress. However, General Carter wants to keep this quiet until the next Senior Staff Meeting, at which time he will make a report.

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7. [REDACTED] was in to brief me on the case of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] later in the day I interviewed Harry. While there is no doubt that Harry deserves to be disciplined for his disregard of security regulations, Shef Edwards has satisfied himself that there is no question of disloyalty and that he has not used classified information for personal gain. Inasmuch as Harry has given the Government more than eighteen years of faithful and presumably valuable service, dismissal may be more punishment than is warranted. (I am exploring the possibility of double-slotting him in the Foreign Documents Division for approximately one year and ten months, until he reaches the age of 62, at which time he will retire. I have made no commitments to Harry, however, and will not do so until I have had a chance to discuss it with General Carter.)

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9. [REDACTED] who has just returned from [REDACTED] came in to see me. He was upset about having been recalled from [REDACTED] prior to the completion of his extended tour. I explained to him that this had been done at the request of the Division Chief and the Chief of Station and that he would have to learn the detailed reasons from them. I pointed out, however, that they had given him a satisfactory Fitness Report and that no one had alleged that he was unsatisfactory. I also told him that I thought it would not be profitable for him to pursue this matter too far. Bill was more apprehensive than ever about the possibility of getting a promotion. I told him that, in all honesty, I could not hold out any immediate prospects; and he would probably rank lower this year than last because his Fitness Report had not been as good. I suggested that he might wish to explore the possibilities of transferring to another Government agency. He said that he would consider this, but I do not think that he will actually pursue it. He was anxious to have an assignment either on my immediate staff or on [REDACTED]'s staff, where he would hope to demonstrate the qualifications which he believes he has and which would entitle him to a promotion. I told him that we would consider this but could not guarantee such an assignment. I urged him to take whatever leave he wanted at this time and that we would work out some assignment for him prior to his return.

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10. Shef Edwards was in to tell me that he very definitely planned to retire not later than 30 June 1963. He also wanted me to know that [REDACTED] had invited him to lunch one day this week, and he anticipated that Dick might have some job in mind. Whether this is true, Shef is beginning to look around and will do so more intensively after the first of the year. If something comes up that he wants badly and the timing is important, he might request retirement earlier than 30 June 1963. I told him that I would certainly cooperate with him in every way in this matter.

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NOTE: Extract of item 9 to [REDACTED] (6 September 1962)

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